

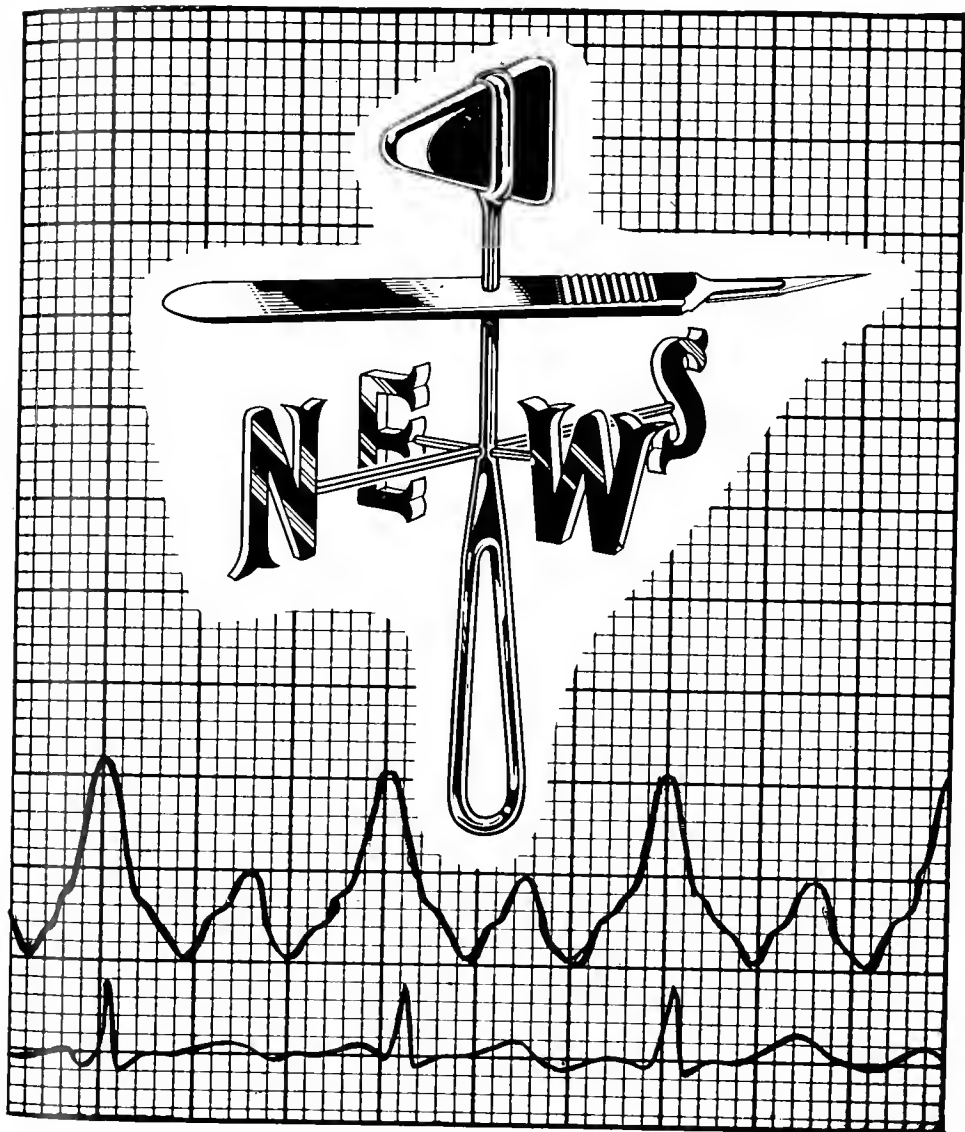
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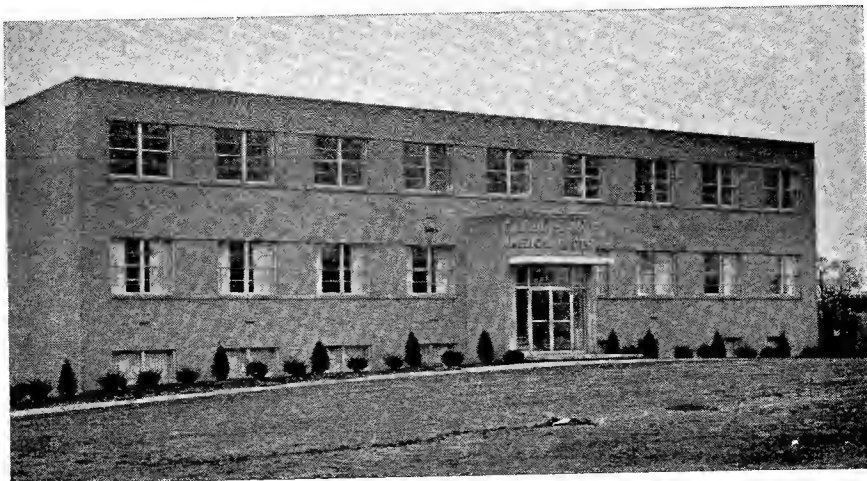
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From the Desk of the President

The time has come that the medical community must turn to its strong minded and determined man to defend and promote the practice of medicine against those critics who have appointed themselves to destroy by negativity and character assassination the profession which we hold dear.

In the year 1970, we are going to be subjected to emotional attacks which have some basis in fact, but are so biased and warped that we will have difficulty reconizing ourselves.

The move is on for prepaid comprehensive care funded through the government by the ever present employer. The mode of delivery which is to be advocated is the large impersonal clinic with all medical personnel on salary and hopefully the administration by someone other than doctors, at least this is the hope of the critics.

The first major push was by Fortune Magazine to the business community in the United States. The second major push was by newspaper and magazine articles serialized to define the problem of health, costs and delivery systems and the latest has been through television, again trying to define the problem and to count the cost. The first two items above were reasonably factual with what seemed to be good intent. The last item was extremely negative, was hard to find any good intent and would lead the public to believe that health care of any kind, just does not exist in this United States.

I believe our duty as physicians in Mahoning County is to educate the citizens of Mahoning County as to what health care is available, to define the quality, to acquaint them with our problems, to not in any way try to cover up our deficiencies nor our difficulties and to allow the citizens to know what work is going forward to meet the deficiencies that exist. The paradoxes of the situation will have to be pointed out. The public must understand that there is a personnel shortage, that there is a relative shortage of facilities, that the demands for service have increased at a much greater rate than anyone could have predicted twenty years ago and that much work must be done, not only on planning, but to take care of the day to day situation that now exists and will exist until enough personnel can be trained to meet the demand. The role of inflation will have to be clearly stated. The desire of physicians to practice preventive medicine must be made clear. The willingness of physicians to experiment and try modes of delivery of health care under controlled conditions must be made known. The willingness and good will that exists between medical people and the agencies of the community must not be allowed to deteriorate in the face of unjust criticism by those who are uninformed.

The medical care of the future in this community will be determined by what we as physicians do in the next two years. If we provide education and leadership to preserve those good things of tradition and accept the proved new ideas and hopefully combine the two, so that health care de-

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Editorial

"WASH DAY"

The flood of articles on air and water pollution continues in all of the news media. Slowly, but gradually, positive steps are being taken to correct our environment. A major source of water pollution, believe it or not, is "wash day", and every wash causes a little more death in our world. Today's washing agents and detergents have a very high phosphate content and all the newer products stress "enzyme" action which is so good for your clothes but which is gradually killing off plant life and fish. The phosphate content varies from 1.4% to as high as 43.7%.

Phosphates speed up the growth of the algae that rob the water of its oxygen. This, in turn, deprives the plants and fish of their normal supply of oxygen with gradual death resulting. The algae produces a green slime on the water surface as an indication of this pollutant presence.

A careful five year study of pollution in Lake Erie and Lake Ontario by the International Joint Commission found that the high phosphate content of laundry products are the chief cause of the critical state of our streams and lakes in these areas.

Another problem lies in the fact that many chemicals are essentially unchanged in the customary primary and secondary treatment plants. Many chemicals are discharged into rivers and streams and increase the cost of purification of the water when used downstream, for example, for drinking purposes. A tertiary treatment plant, which is highly effective, is needed to remove chemicals and to break down various compounds.

The solution is for housewives to revert back to "old fashioned" methods of laundry; namely using soap products and washing soda. Agents containing considerably less than 10% phosphate would help quite a bit.

—J. C. Melnick, M.D.

Editor

From the Desk of the President (continued)

livery is maximum we will do honor to the profession. If we allow our good judgment, medical training, and humanitarian instincts to be overcome by hostile response to the hostile criticism that we are subjected to, we will not be able to bring the honor to our profession that is due it.

I, therefore, urge every member of our society to become knowledgeable of what our critics have to offer, to be articulate about what medicine has to offer, and to defend our profession with logic and pride, in what it has accomplished, to work diligently to improve medical knowledge and to promote the public health.

—Robert L. Jenkins, Jr., M.D.

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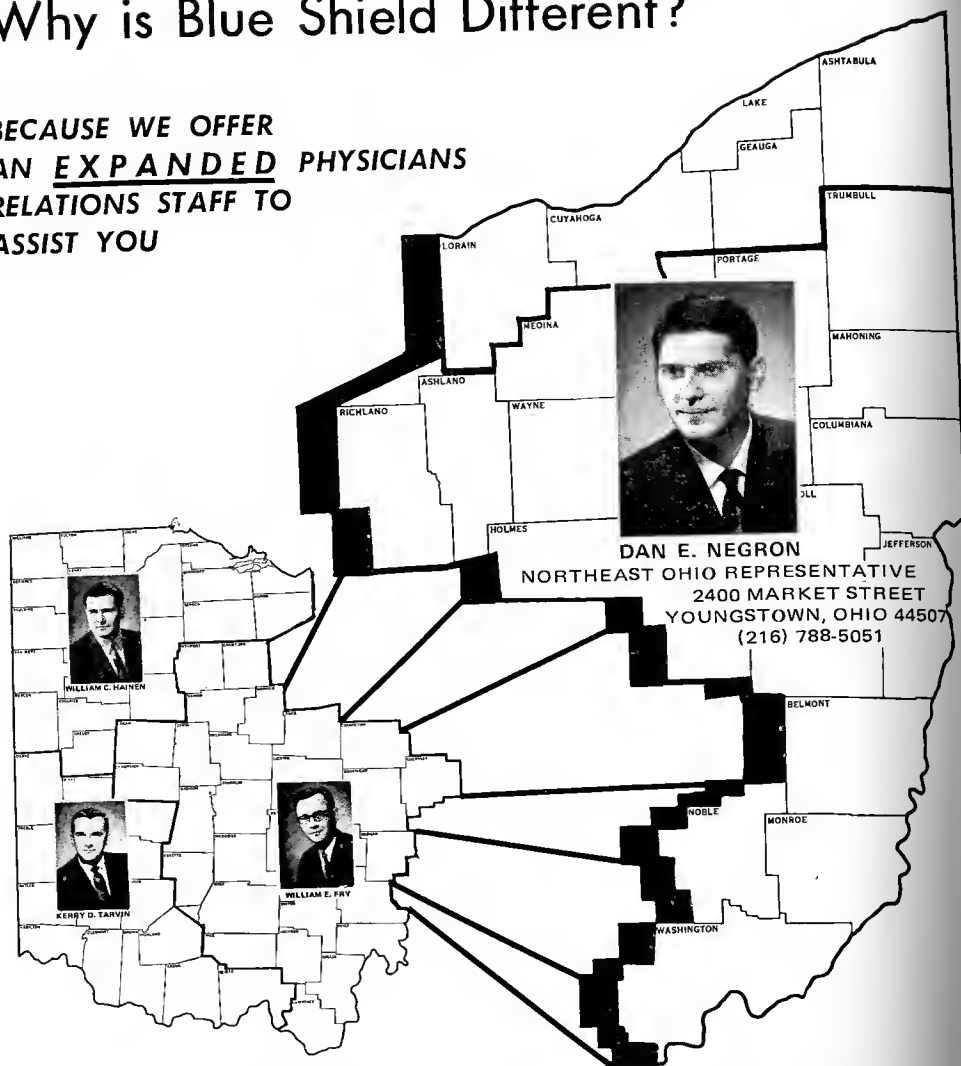
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MAY 10 THROUGH JUNE 15, 1970

- May 11 4:00 p.m. Medical Seminar: "Virilism," Drs. C. H. McGowen and N. Suanprasert, Aud., YHA-SU
- May 12 7:30 p.m. Dental Section, Aud., St. E.
- May 13 6:30 p.m. Medical School Dinner, Mahoning Country Club
- May 14 7:30 a.m. Surgical Div., Nurses Aud., YHA-SU
 8:00 a.m. Divisional meetings: Med. Peds. OB, Fam. Pract., YHA
 8:00 a.m. Tumor Conf., Aud., St. E.
 9:30 a.m. Surg. V.P., Dr. Emmanuel Farber, "Prevention of Cancer," Aud., St. E.
 1:00 p.m. Med. V.P., Dr. T. S. Danowski, Aud., St. E.
 6:30 p.m. Recognition Dinner, YHA, Squaw Creek Country Club
- May 16 8:00 a.m. Tumor Conf., Nurses Classroom, YHA-NU
- May 21 7:30 a.m. Surgical Div., Nurses Aud., YHA-SU
 8:00 a.m. Divisional meetings: Med., Peds., OB, YA
 8:00 a.m. CPC, Aud., St. E.
 9:00 a.m. Tumor Conf., Aud., St. E.
 1:00 p.m. Med. V.P., Dr. Alvin Shapiro, Aud., St. E.
- May 23 8:00 a.m. Tumor Conf., Aud., YHA-SU
- May 25 4:00 p.m. Medical Seminar: "Hypertension in Primary Renal Disease," Dr. R. Bacani and S. Young, Aud., YHA-SU
- May 26 8:30 a.m. ER Associates, Drs.' Dining Rm., YHA-SU
 6:00 p.m. Medical Exec. Comm., Coffee Shop, YHA-NU
- May 28 7:30 a.m. Surg. Div., Nurses Aud., YHA-SU
 8:00 a.m. Divisional meetings: Med., Peds., OB, YHA
 8:00 a.m. Tumor Conf., Aud., St. E.
 1:00 p.m. Med. V.P., Dr. Edward Rotheram, Aud., St. E.
- June 1 7:30 p.m. Dental Service Mtg., Drs. Lib., YHA-SU
- June 2 8:30 a.m. All Section meetings, Aud., St. E.
 7:00 p.m. Quarterly Staff meeting, Aud., St. E.
- June 3 9:00 a.m. Cardiovascular Symposium, School of Nursing, St. E.
- June 4 8:00 a.m. Guest Prof., Alexander J. Walt, M.D., Assoc. Dean and Penberthy Prof. of Surgery and Chm., Dept. Surgery, Wayne State U., "Reasoned Approach to Surgery of Thyroid Malignancies," and "Pitfalls in Management of Blunt Trauma," Aud., YHA-SU
- June 6 8:00 a.m. Tumor Conf., Aud., YHA-SU
- June 8 4:00 p.m. Medical Seminar: "Fungal Infections of the Skin," Drs. K. Lloyd and B. Thimmappa, Aud., YHA-SU
- June 9 6:30 p.m. Council, Mahoning County Medical Society, Hotel Ohio
- June 11 7:30 a.m. Surg. Div., Nurses Aud., YHA-SU
 8:00 a.m. Div. Meetings, Med., OB, YHA
 1:00 p.m. Med. V.P., Dr. James Leonard, Aud., St. E.
- June 13 8:00 a.m. Tumor Conf., Nurses Classrm., YHA-NU

From the Bulletin



THIRTY YEARS AGO — MAY 1940

The new Ladies Medical Auxiliary was set and ready to go, with a charter and everything. The *Bulletin* greeted the Auxiliary with high hope and great expectations for their future help.

The Mahoning Tuberculosis Sanatorium adopted a policy for the election of a rotating staff representing all the specialties to care for illnesses developing in the patients at the Sanatorium.

The National Physician's Committee for Extension of Medical Service was organized to fight the encroachments of government in medicine. The officers were mostly doctors active in the affairs of the AMA; and staid, conservative, back-leaning AMA which thought that its scientific and educational purpose would be sullied by involvement in anything political. Later on when things became critical, the AMA woke up and assumed its role of leadership in preserving the American system of private competitive practice of medicine. Many of our readers never heard of the National Physician's Committee but thirty years ago it was the only organization we had to fight socialism of medicine. It goes to show that if established organizations fail, other will rise to take their place when the need is imperative. Many of us sent money to the Physician's Committee to help them carry on their crusade but we were much happier when the AMA took over.

Echo of last month's Postgraduate Day: John McCann made several trips to Baltimore to arrange the program and speakers from Johns Hopkins. When they arrived he was there at 6:00 A.M. to meet the train and take them to breakfast. At 11:30 he was there to see them off. A program chairman has an awful life.

Raymond Lupse and Martha Morris were married May 15th. Ray was resident in Obstetrics at Lakeside Hospital in Cleveland. Morris Rosenblum was away for post-graduate study at the Mayo Clinic. The beloved John Hardman died. He practiced medicine and surgery in his office on Wilson Avenue from 1911 and was President in 1928 when the first Post-Graduate Assembly was held. His son Edward was then surgical resident at St. Elizabeth's Hospital.

TWENTY YEARS AGO — MAY 1950

At the Ohio State Medical Association meeting in Cleveland our good friend, the late Senator Robert Taft addressed the assembly. Some of you will remember his campaign for re-election and how the doctors went all out for him. He was elected in spite of opposition of labor after the Taft-Hartley Act was passed.

Delegates that year were William Skipp, Vernon Goodwin and Ivan Smith. Alternates were Robert Odom, Carl Gustafson and J. C. Vance. President Gordon Nelson and Secretary G. E. DeCicco were there. Fred Coombs, W. H. Evans and A. J. Fisher were on the program. Elmer Wenaas was on the committee on judicial and professional relations and O. M. Lawton on the committee on mental hygiene.

Skipp, Ivan, Odom and Vance are no longer with us but they are well remembered. A. J. Fisher died in Albuquerque last February. He was our first specialist in anesthesiology.

It was most unusual but the Society meeting that month at the Elk's Club started a 4:45 P.M. on a Tuesday, too. It was a joint meeting with Dr. David Rutstein from Harvard Medical School as the speaker. On the same day the annual dinner meeting of the Staff was scheduled for 6:30 P.M. at the Mahoning Tuberculosis Sanitorium with Dr. Robert Anderson of the U. S. Public Health Service as speaker. The *Bulletin* reported that about 95 were present for the dinner. There was some complaint about the poor attendance at the Society meeting. Nothing like a dinner to get the crowd, especially if it's free. Those who made both meetings did some fast traveling.

Merrill D. Evans became a member of the Society. G. A. Parillo, John R. Buchanan, Howard Miller and W. J. Flynn were patients in the hospital.

TEN YEARS 'AGO — MAY 1960

From President Schlecht's page: "The most dangerous tendency among the specialists is a withdrawal from the common interest of the profession. A medical specialist should not, in his sentiments and conduct, be any the less a physician. The honor, dignity and usefulness of the profession as a whole should be as sacred in his estimation as if he were not a specialist."

"This side effect of specialism is a real threat and if it continues the future of our Medical Society and the practice of medicine, with all the specialties and sub-specialties, is in jeopardy. The total effect will be that we become merely technicians in assembly line medical care."

A feature article mentioned the father and son teams then living here. They were: Wm. H. Bunn and son W. H. Bunn, Jr., E. Henry Jones and son Edward H. Jr., J. L. Fisher and son Robert R., Walter B. Turner and son John Jacob, S. G. Patton and son S. G. Patton, Jr., Paul McConnell and son Robert B., S. W. Goldcamp and son Richard R., Donald Gross and son Wm. R.

Besides those, M. S. Zervos had a son interning at Youngstown Hospital. J. Clair Vance's son was interning at the Naval Hospital in Charleston, S. C. Lew Shensa's son was a medical resident at Lakeside in Cleveland. Andy Miglets' son was a senior at Ohio State Medical School. Paul Harvey had two sons in medicine, one teaching medicine at Johns Hopkins and one practicing orthopedics in New York.

Robert Ciekurs of McCartney Road became a new member of the Society.

—J. L. F.

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PROCEEDINGS OF COUNCIL

APRIL 7, 1970

The regular meeting of the council of the Mahoning County Medical Society was held on Tuesday, April 7, 1970, at the Hotel Ohio, Youngstown.

The following physicians were present: Robert L. Jenkins, president, presiding, J. J. Anderson, B. P. Brucoli, L. P. Caccamo, Henry Holden, C. H. McGowen, C. E. Pichette, M. C. Raupple, Jack Schreiber, J. F. Stotler, Kurt Wegner, S. V. Squicquero, Herman Allen and W. M. Greissinger. Absent were: R. A. Abdu, Louis Bloomberg, K. E. Camp, D. J. Dallis, G. E. DeCicco, S. F. Gaylord, J. C. Melnick, R. D. Murray, J. V. Newsome, J. W. Tandatnick, L. J. Zehr, R. A. Wiltzie, Charles Waltner, R. W. Fenton and D. A. Belinky.

The meeting was called to order at 7:30 p.m. All council members having received copies of the minutes of the previous meeting, minutes were approved without being reread.

Bills were read. The motion was made, seconded, and duly passed that each bill be paid.

The names of the following applicants were presented by the censors:

ACTIVE MEMBERSHIP

Dean J. Limbert, M.D., 420 Oak Hill Ave.

ASSOCIATE MEMBERSHIP

R. A. Bacani, M.D., Medical Annex Bldg., Youngstown Hospital, North Unit
Charles A. Crans, M.D., 64 Ridge Ave.

Earnest Perry, M.D., 420 Oak Hill Ave.

The applications were approved. The above applicants will become members of the Mahoning County Medical Society within fifteen days after publication in the *Bulletin*, unless objection is filed in writing with the secretary during that time.

The any-doctor call report of the Medical Dental Bureau was passed around for each member to see.

A letter was read from Dr. Bloomberg thanking council for their best wishes during his illness.

A letter of thanks was read from Kathy Nasci, winner of the first place Medical Society award at the Science Fair.

Dr. Jenkins and Dr. Wegner reported on the success of the medical awards at the Science Fair.

Dr. Jenkins appointed Dr. Raupple, as treasurer, to be chairman of a committee to study the dues structure in light of increased costs of operation of the Medical Society.

A letter was read from Dr. Dentscheff concerning the high cost of malpractice insurance. The letter was referred to the insurance committee.

An inquiry was noted from Mr. Kravec, concerning the cost of disability insurance. This was referred to the insurance committee. It was noted that Mr. Stillson will be attending the next meeting of council to make his annual report and the question can be brought up at that time.

Dr. Greissinger reported on the Mayor's proposed drug council. Dr. Schreiber reported on a proposed drug information program by the Vindicator and WFMJ. Dr. Wegner reported that the public relations committee had agreed to finance billboards on drug abuse. Following discussion, the motion was made by Dr. Holden, and properly seconded, that the Mahoning County Medical Society send a letter to Mayor Hunter recommending that he appoint a drug commissioner, and that the letter should point out the costs to the people coming from the drug abuse problem. Motion was passed.

A letter was read from The Eastern Ohio Chiropractic Society stating willingness to cooperate to enforce the laws governing the practice of chiropractic.

Dr. Caccamo, reporting for the Medical School Committee, stated that an ad hoc committee of the Mahoning Valley Health Planning Association will recommend that that organization support a medical school for Youngstown. He announced a citizens' meeting for the medical school on May 13th. He discussed programs related to medicine at Youngstown State University, which included the possibility of intern-resident programs under University sponsorship. Following discussion, the motion was made by Dr. Schreiber, and properly seconded, that council encourage and approve an exploratory venture to Washington to see if funding is available for cooperative continuing education. Motion was passed.

Dr. Allen reported recent changes in the Mahoning Valley Health Planning Association, including the resignation of Stanley Johnstone as director. The motion was made by Dr. Pichette, and properly seconded, that a letter be sent to both Dr. Tandatnick and Dr. Bloomberg, commending them on their fine work in pursuing the need for changes in the MVHPA. Motion was passed.

The motion was made by Dr. Caccamo, and properly seconded, that the Mahoning County Medical Society notify the City and County Boards of Health that the Medical Society is now supporting the MVHPA due to recent acceptable restructuring. Motion was passed.

Dr. Wegner introduced discussion concerning infant mortality statistics for Youngstown. Following discussion, the motion was made by Dr. Wegner, and properly seconded, that a committee be appointed to investigate newborn and infant mortality figures, and this committee include an obstetrician, a pediatrician, a medical director and the health commissioner, as well as an osteopathic physician. Motion was passed.

The motion was made, seconded and duly passed that council give approval to Dr. Greissinger's committee.

Meeting was adjourned.

—Howard Rempes

Executive Secretary

MEDICAL SCHOOL DINNER MAY 13

Four years ago, the Mahoning County Medical Society recognized the need and the advantages of a medical school for Youngstown. The Medical Society started the ball rolling with the Booz, Allen and Hamilton feasibility study, which was made through the support of more than 100 contributors in the community.

Other organizations soon joined the Medical Society. Petitions have been circulated. This was followed by posting of signs, news stories and published letters.

Finally a citizens' committee was organized. Now, labor, the Chamber of Commerce, business, industry and Youngstown State University are all united in support of a medical school for this area.

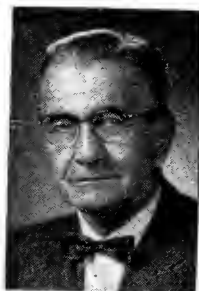
The citizens' committee has planned a community-wide medical school dinner, to be held on Wednesday, May 13, at the Mahoning Country Club. Dr. John D. Millett, chancellor of the Ohio Board of Regents, will be the speaker and will talk on "Higher Education in Ohio."

The committee hopes to have a large turn-out at the meeting in order to show community support for the medical school. All physicians and their wives are urged to attend.

Dinner is at 6:30 p.m. Tickets are available at the Medical Society office at \$4.00 per person.

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Dr. Dean J. Limbert, a Urologist, was born in Youngstown on March 23, 1936. He attended Boardman High School and received his A.B. degree at Johns Hopkins in 1957. His medical degree was conferred at Northwestern University School of Medicine in 1961.

Dr. Limbert interned at Cleveland Metropolitan General Hospital. He took a residency in Urology at the same hospital, 1962-63, and at Philadelphia General Hospital, 1963-65. This was followed by a residency in Surgery at Youngstown Hospital Association, 1965-66.

From 1966 to 1968, Dr. Limbert was with the U. S. Navy as a Lieutenant Commander, U. S. Naval Hospital, Camp Pendleton, California. He then came to Youngstown and opened his office at 420 Oak Hill Ave. in the summer of 1968.

He is the author of several published papers: "Transcoccyeal Repair of Prostatorectal Fistula," "Management of Varicocele," and co-author of "Central Venous Pressure Monitoring During Transurethral Prostatectomy." He participated in a research project for Geigy Company on the effect of Tofranil on Enuresis.

Dr. Limbert is a member of the Cleveland Urological Society. He is a member of St. John's Greek Orthodox Church. His wife is the former Christine Morris, whom he married in 1965, and they have two children, James and Thomas. They live at 4637 Burkey Rd.

MEDICAL NEWS QUOTES DR. TANDATNICK

The nationally-quoted *Bulletin* of the Mahoning County Medical Society has done it again! This time Dr. Joseph W. Tandatnick's article, "What Are You Doing for the Poor?" which appeared in the Nov. 1969, issue, was printed in its entirety in the March 23 issue of *American Medical News*.

The article, originally printed under the heading of "From the Desk of the President," defined the problem of the poor as being political and placed it squarely on government's doorstep. Dr. Tandatnick pointed out the futility of curing the underprivileged patient's malnutrition, etc., and then sending him back to a rat-infested substandard home.

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COMMITTEE TO STUDY INFANT MORTALITY

A study is under way to appraise the infant mortality rate and the neonatal mortality rate for the city of Youngstown.

A committee, approved by council and appointed by Dr. R. L. Jenkins, will work with Dr. W. M. Greissinger as chairman. Committee members are: Dr. S. W. Chiasson, Dr. Paxton Jones, Dr. S. V. Squicquero, Dr. Kurt Wegner and Dr. R. A. Wiltsie. Dr. Joseph Fogarty will represent the Osteopathic Medical Society on the committee.

BOOK FOR PHYSICIAN PHILATELISTS

Physicians who are stamp collectors will be interested in a new book, published by the American Medical Association, entitled *Medicine and Stamps*. It contains illustrations, many in color, of more than 150 world-wide stamps bearing the pictures of physicians who have made distinctive contributions to medicine, along with a short biography of each.

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BULLETIN BOARD

Dr. Michael J. Vuksta was elected president of the Mahoning County Tuberculosis and Health Association. He succeeds J. Wesley Pollock. Dr. W. M. Greissinger was elected to the Board. Dr. Elias T. Saadi was re-elected to the Board.

Dr. Arthur V. Whittaker has been appointed chairman of the newly-formed program committee of the American Heart Association's Eastern Ohio Chapter. Heading the public education committee is Dr. William Cleary. Dr. L. P. Caccamo is in charge of professional education. Dr. Hugh Bennett heads the public information and speakers bureau committee.

Dr. David Levy was honored with a special commendation by Temple Emananu-El. He was vice president and president of the congregation, educational chairman, and building chairman, among other services.

Dr. Charles F. Wagner is the new medical director of U. S. Steel's Youngstown Works. He succeeds Dr. Howard E. Mathay, who retired after 29 years in that position. Dr. Ulrich Hans Boening has been named plant physician at the Youngstown Works.

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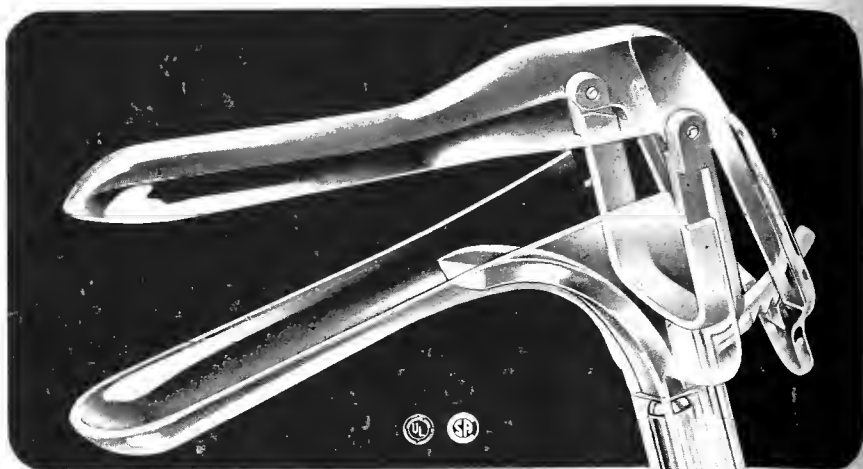
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